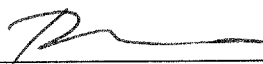


I hereby certify that this correspondence is being electronically filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 19, 2009


Doran R. Pace, Patent Attorney

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)
Examining Group 1648
Patent Application
Docket No. UF.267XC1
Serial No. 10/080,772

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Jeffrey S. Parkin, Ph.D.
Art Unit : 1648
Applicants : Janet K. Yamamoto, Jennifer White Janelle, Barbara A. Torres, Maki
Arai, Taishi Tanabe, Ruiyu Pu
Serial No. : 10/080,772
Filed : February 22, 2002
Confirm. No. : 1105
For : Materials and Methods for Detecting, Preventing, and Treating Retroviral
Infection

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2008 in the above-referenced patent application be extended three months through and including March 19, 2009. Please charge the fee of \$555.00 to Deposit Account 19-0065.

A continuation application is being filed by Applicants contemporaneously.

Any additional fees as required by 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17 should be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

Respectfully submitted,



Doran R. Pace
Patent Attorney
Registration No. 38,261
Phone No.: 352-375-8100
Fax No.: 352-372-5800
Address: Saliwanchik, Lloyd & Saliwanchik
P.O. Box 142950
Gainesville, FL 32614-2950

DRP/trt